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## United Church

Empress:  
Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.  
Public Worship, 11:30 a.m.  
Leland, 3 p.m.  
Social Plains, 7:30 p.m.  
We invite you to worship with us.

Rev. Geo. A. Shields,  
Minister.

According to a statement of the Department of Agriculture of the Province of Alberta, 400,000 acres of new land were broken last year and are now under cultivation for the first time. The value of Alberta's farm production in 1931 is placed at over \$147,000,000.

It is stated that in one year over 34,000 people were killed by automobiles in the United States. Nearly the total casualties suffered by that country in the Great War.

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## LOWER FARES LABOR DAY

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One Way Fare and One Quarter  
FOR THE ROUND TRIP

Good going from Nov. 2, Sept. 2 to Noon, Sept. 5,  
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School Days are here again. Look over your requirements for the school session and come to us for your wants. We carry a most complete stock and will be pleased to cater to your needs for all supplies.

**EMPRESS DRUG CO., Ltd.**

We are agents for leading name brands. Cut Flowers ordered on shortest possible notice.

## Hospital Notes

Mrs. H. McDonald, who underwent a serious operation is improving.

Mr. R. Tabler, of Meatham, is doing nicely after his recent operation, and will soon be discharged.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. J. Kreimburg, of Estuary, a son  
Laura Russell underwent a tonsil operation on Wednesday of last week.

## New Park in the Cypress Hills

The motorist on the south road out of Maple Creek, Saskatchewan, climbs 1,500 feet to the newly created Cypress Hills Provincial Park, an area of eighteen square miles of pine covered hills that lies twenty miles south of the town. Here have been established by the government a forest reserve and game sanctuary. The streams are clear and cool, well suited to the rainbow and Loch Leven trout placed in them some years ago. As a result of the wars between the Crees, Assiniboines and Blackfeet this area became a "No Man's Land," was little hunted, and became a haven for wild life, and to this day it has been a favored spot. The traveller is hardly aware of approaching the park until suddenly tapping the crest of little there breaks into view a beautiful scene of forest and stream. It is truly an oasis of beauty, located in the Cypress range of broken hills, scattered with deep ravines, fantastic crags and rounded elevations.

Dams placed in Belanger and Lone Pine creeks, tributaries of the Frenchman river which flows itself across the Montana border, have created two charming lakes 1,000 feet above sea level known as Loch Leven and Loch Leven, having a water area of approximately 200 acres. In addition to rustic bridges that punctuate the woodland paths in the new park, there will be found accommodations for the vacationist that includes splendid campsites, a sixteen-room sleeping building, and a nearby hotel house.

The rain movement for Friday until 5 a.m. Saturday was 95 of an inch.

## Severe Wind and Rain Storm

Farmers North of Town Suffer Loss to Crops From Fall

A severe wind and rain storm visited here on Friday afternoon, after a week of extreme heat. The wind drove the rain with great violence and minor damage was done in town. Immediately north of town hail accompanied the storm and did severe damage to the standing crop. Farmers who sustained loss are reported to be H. Fack, W. and J. Highmore, W. and Wes, Harburt, Mr. Janm, T. W. and Alex. Rowles, George Brewster, P. Parenteau, M. G. Boyd, J. E. Wes, and Roy Rivers, A. and J. Chapman, J. Foenig, W. Sandcock, Band all Bros, the Hero families and others. In some cases the loss was severe, while others were fortunate in having grain cut or combined in varying amounts. In town considerable loss was raised previous to the rain and the clouds whipped close to the ground while the sky overhead was closed in with dark and threatening clouds. The rainfall continued on and off until late on Sunday, and was very heavy at times. Considerable lightning accompanied the early storm.

## Farmers Rally At Drumheller

A farmers' rally, held on August 18, was addressed by Premier Brownlee, Robert Gar diner, M.P., E. J. Garland, M.P. and Norman Priestley, vice-president of the F.A. In his address Mr. Gardiner said:

"There is no reason to believe that the present social system will not follow other systems and be replaced by a new social and economic order. Just how long it will take to decay was a matter for conjecture, but there were many who saw the end in sight. The present system was a debt-creating one. It was not possible for the mass of people to get out of debt, or even to effect material reductions. Despite this condition there had never been such enormous deposits in savings banks as at present time. Until those who hoarded this money were prepared to put it into circulation, there would be no return to a more prosperous condition." The time had arrived when it was necessary to build up new organizations and in the new Commonwealth Federation he saw the movement which would replace the old political parties.

The new Welland Canal, which was officially opened early this month, is the first link in the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence deep waterway, and is the fourth canal to be built in the last one hundred years connecting Lakes Erie and Ontario. While it is a far cry east to water navigation, it is not without the radius of possibility that the large waterways of the prairie provinces may have to be made navigable in order to take the produce of the prairie to even the big steamers to meet world competition at some future time.

## For Groceries

FRESH FRUITS, ICE  
CREAM, SOFT DRINKS,  
AND CONFECTIONERY

CALL AT THE  
Corner Grocery and  
Confectionery  
or PHONE 38

## Ronald World Is Laid To Rest

The funeral of Ronald, ten-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. World, took place on Friday afternoon. The young lad, unexpected and sudden death struck a vibrant note of deep sympathy throughout the district for the bereaved family, and the little church of St. Mary's was filled to overflowing. Rev. J. P. Horne, gave a message of sympathy and hope, and the hymns carried messages of condolence and faith. The pall-bearers were youths of the district, and the little casket was covered with floral tributes. A large assemblage followed to the cemetery, to join in the ceremony of observing the last rites.

"There is no death, the stars go down  
To rise upon some fairer shore,"

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish in this manner to convey our sincerest thanks to friends and neighbors for their kindness, sympathy and help during our recent bereavement also to those who sent floral tributes or helped in any other way.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. World and Lucille.

## Poultry Piling Up

It most surely looks as though the poultry market this fall was not going to be up to much. Government figures of the holdings in cold storage show there is a total of all grades of 4,185,000 lbs., on hand, Aug. 1. This is about 2,500,000 more than the stocks a year ago, and well over the average of the past five years.

Chickens and turkeys are the heaviest stocks, with a total of 1,284,000 of the former, and that is 800,000 more than the supply last year. There is a pile of turkeys too, 1,018,000 lbs., and the increase from a year ago is over 770,000 lbs. — Market Examiner.

What was the cause of the boiler explosion?

"Very simple. The boiler was empty and the engine full."

Prosperity is not without fears and distaste; adversity is not without comforts and hopes.—Bacon

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Riedel who have been spending a three-week's vacation with relatives at Madison and Abbey, Sask., arrived home on Monday. Mrs. Emerson McCune and family, who drove them home from Abbey, visited with relatives here for a couple of days.

## R. M. Mantario No. 262

Special Meeting, Mayfield Hall, August 4, 1932, at 6 p.m. Present, Reeve Walker and a full council.

This meeting was called by the Reeve under the authority of Section 29 of the Rural Municipality Act, to consider the report of the collector on the preliminary survey made to date, and to deal with same.

To consider applications for the position of tax collector in answer to the advertisement inserted in the Star-Phoenix of August 1, 2 and 3.

To decide if the appointment of anyone other than the Secretary be necessary, and if so to select the man for the position and determine the terms of the contract to be made with him.

To deal with any business arising out of the above.

Dahl—That notice of meeting be and is hereby waived.

Montgomery—That we decide to appoint a collector for the municipality.

Dahl—That applications for collector be considered.

Applications were opened by the Reeve, handed to the Secretary, and read to the meeting, including those of applicants who had approached, or were at the meeting to approach the Council by personal interview; the Council were not informed as to which of the written applications was submitted by those present to interview the Council.

Rowles—That Mr. F. Adcock's offer be accepted, subject to the reference given being satisfactory, and bond to the amount of \$2000 being arranged.

## A Time For Careful Thought

Unless he formulates and follows a new economics it is only a question of time until the farmer as a self-respecting freeman will take his place in the museum of vanished types. In this new economics the principles of co-operative action will play a decisive role.

If the farmer is to cease being the beaten and buffeted victim of modern industrial civilization, if he is to become the master of his own economic and cultural destiny, he must organize as the rest of economic Canada has organized. If he does not he will be lost in the shuffle.

The Alberta Pool Elevators represent the foremost step in the co-operative efforts of Alberta farmers. Every Alberta grain grower should see that this Alberta co-operative organization is assured the greatest possible measure of success.

Deliver Your Grain to  
**ALBERTA POOL ELEVATORS**

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Visiting Cards, Business Cards  
Letterheads, Statements, Envelopes, Posters, Auction Sale Posters and Commercial Printing.

Give your next order  
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## Lakes And Rivers Of Canada Offer Means Of Providing Enjoyable Trips By Canoe

The requirements for a successful and satisfactory trip by canoe suitable water, picturesque country and an excellent summer climate, can be found almost anywhere in Canada. The innumerable lakes and rivers make the choice of trips almost unlimited. One can travel for hundreds of miles on any of the great rivers, journeying from lake to lake and portaging where rapids impede or heights intervene. Having decided upon the kind of trip to be made, whether one requiring much effort and experience, or one quite free from rapids and portages, the canoeist has only to select his route.

Although railways and the automobile have provided a means of rapid travel, the canoe is still the most enjoyable mode of travel in the quiet of the forest, out of reach of either. It is such places, approachable only by canoe, that invite the adventurer to partake of the wonders of nature. The railways and the development of good roads have, however, made the majority of canoe routes in Canada easily accessible, and one need not travel far from the majority of Canadian cities before reaching the embarkment point of an enjoyable trip.

In certain parts one may follow the streams for a long summer outing and never see a village or dwelling, yet civilization lies close at hand, and return is easily possible. Waterfalls, rapids large and small, lakes of singular beauty hidden deep in the forest, and islands covered with pine and spruce trees are among the interesting features encountered en route. In some places one may travel hundreds of miles without meeting obstacles of any kind.

There is a remarkable contrast between the conventional life of modern life and the full naturalness of life in the great forest, where one may relax, amid the beauty of natural surroundings. A strange appeal of imagination comes to one while following the routes of the historic explorers and contentment prevails amid the constant change of beautiful scenery. Canadian lakes and rivers are renowned for the variety and abundance of their fish. Brook and lake trout are numerous, the latter often weighing from fifteen to thirty pounds while other species of fish are plentiful.



ful. Eastern Canada is well provided with waterways, well suited to travel by canoe. Canal systems, rivers large and small, rapids, falls, lakes, stillwaters and all the requirements for an enjoyable canoe trip, await the devotee of the paddle. Whether it be a cruise through a well settled region, or an adventurous journey through the wilderness, the canoeist will find an almost unlimited number of lakes and streams.

The waterways of western Canada, in days gone by, assisted materially in unveiling the mystery of the great country between Lake Superior and the Pacific Ocean. Radiating from Lake Winnipeg, are routes of romantic interest. Nestling among the mountains of the coast are many beautiful lakes, also streams that wind through the hills, where sport for the angler and hunter may be found.

The National Development Bureau of the Department of the Interior at Ottawa, has prepared a series of four booklets entitled "Canoe Trips," copies of which may be had by our readers, free of charge. The series covers the Maritime Provinces, Quebec, Ontario and Western Canada. Further detailed information is available to those who require specific data on any particular trip.



## Railway Man Retires

W. C. Blake, Canadian National Railway Official Had Long Career With Company

Mr. Blake, Auditor of Payrolls for the Western Region, Canadian National Railways, who retired from that position on July 31, after completing 43 years of continuous service out of a connection of 54 years in companies now comprising the National Railways, was born in Liverpool, England. He entered the service of Edwin H. Wood & Co., of that city, European Agents of the Grand Trunk Railway of Canada, as office boy in October, 1878, remaining with Mr. Wood and his successor, T. W. Edwards, until June, 1888. In the spring of 1889 Mr. Blake came out to Canada, and on August 1st of that same year entered the service of the Grand Trunk Railway of Canada in the Audit Department at Montreal, filling various positions therein up to the end of December, 1902. On January 1st, 1903, he entered the service of the Canadian Northern Railway at Winnipeg as clerk in charge of statistics in the Audit Department, was advanced to the position of Chief Clerk to General Auditor in December, 1910, and on removal of General Auditor to Toronto in November, 1918, was appointed Divisional Accountant for Western Lines, which position he held until final consolidation of the Canadian National Railways when he was appointed Auditor of Payrolls for the Western Region, in March, 1923.

## How Adversity Reacts

Brings Out Best and Worst in Human Nature

A general storekeeper and his wife out of a small Iowa community wrote off \$75,000 worth of debts from their books the other day—and told their debtors to forget it. At about the same time a chauffeur in New York, who owed two brothers \$50, was hired by them into a dentist's chair, where all his bridgework was taken from him, and after he had been robbed of all his clothes except his trousers, was left to shift for himself as best he could. Adversity brings out the best and the worst in human nature. The duty of brother-keeping is put to a severe test. The whole country is in the same boat. Those who exact their pound of flesh rock it. Those who live by letting and helping others to live, are drifting broad upon the troubled waters that surround it.

## Warrant Of Appointment

Given To Firms Supplying Goods To Royal Household

The use of the Royal Arms and the words "By Appointment" is a privilege to those firms which supply goods to a Royal household. No one else may use them. Actually, the firms to supply goods are selected by the Master of the Household in a Royal palace, and each receives a Warrant of Appointment. These warrant-holders have a special society of their own to safeguard the privileges they enjoy, and they hold an annual banquet.

A wise-cracker down our way says a grass widow is the woman who stays home and cuts the lawn while her husband plays golf.

The central insect parasite breeding and distributing laboratory for the British Empire is located at Farnham Royal, England.

## Some Outstanding Facts About Canada's Present Standing In The Empire

### Not Always a Sailor

Columna Got Taste Of Sea From Portuguese Islands, of which Madeira is the chief, for a charm of children to the child.

Not all have recalled that Christopher Columbus once followed a girl to his island home. She was Isabella Perestrello, whom he met at this school in Portugal. He married her in 1479, making his home first at Porto Santo and then at Puncchal. His father-in-law was a mariner, and with him Christopher got some of his taste of the sea. In 1480, wrecked sailors drifted into Puncchal and their pilot before he died gave Columbus his charts and papers. It was studying these that gave Columbus his ideas of an unknown land in the West.

### Gas Pressure Dropping

Tests Made At Turner Valley Give Some Cause For Uneasiness

Tests made by the Turner Valley Gas Conservation Board reveal that gas pressure in Turner Valley fields is dropping quickly. The tests are being made with a view to curtailing gas production in an effort to prolong the field's life.

Compared with the situation 11 months ago, the tests show, there has been a reduction in gas pressure by nearly 200 pounds per square inch in the north and central parts of Turner Valley. If right conservation is not enforced, the board maintains, wells in this area will be unable to supply gas to Calgary under their own pressure in less than three years.

### Portrait Pretty Tailored

Artist Forgoes Buttonholes and They Were Worked In

Should the portrayed likeness of President A. Lawrence Lowell of Harvard University ever decide its cost should be buttoned, buttonholes may have been provided. An observant Harvard student, living in Lowell House where the large portrait hung for a year, discovered that the artist painted two buttons on the suit, but forgot the buttonholes. But that has been "repaired" by the addition of two finely tailored buttonholes.

### Dawn Was Late

The audience thrilled as Jack Bravely, the hero, killed the last of the Indians. Then the hero gazed at mother on his. Suddenly his voice rang out.

"See!" he cried. "The dawn breaks bright upon your totem poles!" Still darkness reigned.

"The dawn!" The dawn! he shouted, talking about the stage "It breaks!" The dawn.

A head popped over the "mountain top." "Old man, governor!" said a scene-shifter. "Don't be in such a hurry someone's bin an' turned the gas off!"

Canada's annual income from her wild life resources is estimated at \$55,000,000.

Sessions of the Imperial Economic Conference in Ottawa brought into relief outstanding facts in the Empire's present standing in the Empire of the world. Here are a few, prepared by the Department of Trade and Commerce.

Canada with an area of 3,690,043 square miles is the largest country in the world, and comprises 27 per cent. of the Empire's total area of 13,491,977 square miles.

Canada leads the world in the production of newsprint, nickel and asbestos; holds second place in the production of gold, platinum metals and cobalt; third in the production of zinc and silver and fourth in the production of copper, wheat, automobiles and lead.

Canada leads the world in the export of wheat, newsprint, nickel and asbestos; holds third place in the export of wheat flour; fourth place in the export of automobiles and wood pulp and fifth place in the export of rubber tires. She ranks high also in the export of a wide variety of other products.

Canada stands seventh among the trading nations of the world, and only second to Great Britain among the Empire's countries.

Canada trades with over 100 different countries, of which over 32 are within the British Empire.

Canada has provided approximately one-third of the total supply of world wheat entering into international trade during the past two months.

Canada's fisheries are among the most extensive in the world.

Canada is recognized by the League of Nations as one of the eight leading manufacturing nations of the world.

Canada's chief eastern port of Montreal is the largest inland port of the world.

Canada's eastern ports are closer to Britain and northern Europe than any other port of the western hemisphere, and her Pacific ports are from one to four days closer to Japan than any other ports on this continent.

Canada comes second in total mileage of steam railways among the countries of the world.

Canada stands fourth among countries in the number of motor vehicles in use, and comes second in per capita ownership, or approximately one to every eight citizens.

Canada is only exceeded by one country in the proportion of telephones in use and the number of falls.

Planning Peace Crusade

Foes in War Will Plot Airplane Across Atlantic

A German and a British airman, who tried to kill each other in battle, announce they intend to make a westward air crossing of the Atlantic as a crusade to show the world.

The airman are Baron Von Schleich, so-called "Black Knight" of the German flying forces, and Major Christopher Draper, known as the "Mad Major" of the old British Royal Flying Corps. They plan to make the trip, they said, in the near future and they will be side by side in the cockpit.

"We propose to make a long tour of all the big cities to try to instill in people's minds the ghastliness of war. We want to meet Eddie Rickenbacker, Colonel Bishop and other aces and get them to join our peace crusade," the baron said.

A geologist of the Field Museum says: "The quantity of gold present in the crust of the earth has been estimated as one-half of one-millionth of one per cent, yet gold is not included among the really rare elements."

Pisa, Italy, is one of the twelve cities forming the Etruscan League.

"This photograph makes me look ten years older."

"Then you won't need to have another taken for ten years."

—Vart Hem, Stockholm.

## Newspaper Advertising

The Popular Medium Of Publicity Used By The Major Industries

Major industries continue to show a preference for newspaper advertising over that of other mediums. The American Newspaper Publishers' Association reported at New York.

The association's bureau of advertising announced the results of a survey showed 432 national advertisers spent \$143,325,000 in newspaper advertising last year. Magazine space was used by 120 of these firms to the extent of \$78,317,815, and 121 used radio broadcasts entailing an expenditure of \$21,223,862. The bureau reported that newspapers were the favored medium in 25 of the 32 industrial groups represented.

## Parrot Is Good "Watchdog"

One pet paid for its keep in London when thieves raided a house in Mayfair. A householder trained his parrot as a "watchdog" for his property and recently it had a chance to display its skill. Polly went to the raiders and drew blood. Feathers and overturned furniture testified to the ferocity of the battle. The robbers were captured and told the court how they had been driven off by the screeching, fighting bird.

The skin of a porpoise is an inch thick.



"Please, madam, the pipe has burst and the kitchen is full of water."

"Give me my bathing dress quickly!"—Lustine, Berlin.

W. N. U. 1953

## Whining Is Unpopular

People Indulging In Sill Fity Have Few Friends

Many men and women are a prey to their moods. They don't handle life but are handled by it. As a consequence they are often badly treated just because they have let life get a strange hold on them rather than keeping the upper hand themselves. One of the most devastating moods that one can indulge in is the mood of self pity. Nobody loves a whiner. Complainers are often made that a man loses his friends when he falls into misfortunes. That is sad and often true commentary on the constancy of human affections but the fact that they have driven them away by their own complaining.

## One-Sided Disarmament

Britain Has Reached Limit Unless She Risks Disaster

As a matter of fact, Great Britain ever since the Armistice has been disarming on the most extensive scale. Other Powers have not so far followed her example. Figures given by the Italian representative, Signor Grandi, at Geneva, showed that between 1920 and 1929 the world's total expenditure on armaments rose by £120,000,000, while British expenditure fell by £5,000,000. Can we go further in one-sided disarmament without risk of disaster?

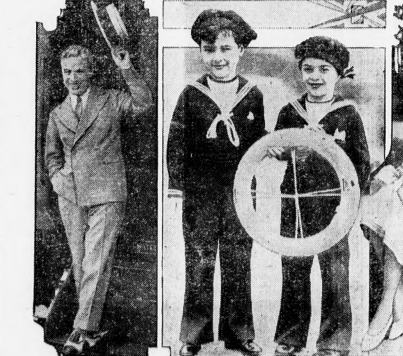
## Motorists Prefer Blue

Black is declining as the favored finish for automobiles, giving way to blue, it was revealed by the latest color index of leading automobile manufacturers in Detroit. Blue predominated in June among all cars sold, the figures indicated.

London business girls are learning to be prepared for bandits and handbag snatchers.

Soviet Russian talking pictures have been drawing large audiences in Harbin in Harbin, Manchuria.

## WILL YOUNG CHAPLINS OUTSHINE FAMOUS DAD?



CHARLIE CHAPLIN, OLIVER, and SIDNEY CHAPLIN

Recently signed on a two-year contract to make five pictures, the children of Charlie Chaplin and Lily Grey Chaplin, his former wife, will shortly make their debut before the camera and legends of Hollywood, taking their first step in the career that brought their father world renown. The boys, Charles Jr., and Sidney, are still too young to have any definite ambitions as to the type of roles they would like to play, but their mother says they will not make any attempt to imitate the style of comedy of which their dad is the great exponent. Chaplin himself is said to be displeased at his children's attempt to attain a place in the Hollywood firmament.



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## War Debts

### Prominent American Criticisms U.S. Attitude in Policy Pursued

A primary, indeed a most, grievous error in policy was made when the American Government did not accept the suggestion of Lord Balfour in 1922 and cancel the inter-governmental obligations arising from joint participation in the World War. There is of course no answer to the purely legalistic argument that these obligations were real debts and that all debts ought to be paid. The trouble with this legalistic argument is that while it is irrelevant, the fact of the matter is that those who are to receive payments on account of these intergovernmental obligations cannot afford to take them, for the reason that unless the situation which these obligations represent be relieved, the economic and financial condition in every land will grow steadily worse until we are all ruined. Legally the American people are a creditor nation to these obligations, but as a matter of fact, already in insulating upon that position they have lost in capital values and destruction of business more than what would have been received if all these intergovernmental obligations were met in full. When the Congress in December last voted that these intergovernmental war obligations should neither be reduced nor canceled, it declared, without in the least meaning to do so, that it was in favor of prolonging and increasing the present depression. In obedience to that declaration the depression has been prolonged and has given itself worse day by day.—Nicholas Murray Butler.

### Coffee Becoming More Popular in England

But Tea Consumption Averages About Eight Cups Daily  
 Britons drink two and a quarter billion fewer cups of tea in 1931 than in 1920, and almost six billion fewer than in 1929. But it cannot be said that the tea drinking habit is decreasing rapidly. Consumption in 1931 still averaged approximately eight and a half cups daily for every man, woman and child in the United Kingdom. The habit of drinking at least one cup of tea before rising in the morning still lingers and rare is the home or office which does not have its tea regularly every afternoon. While consumption of tea is decreasing, coffee is becoming more popular. Coffee consumption in 1931 was 33,902,406 pounds, an increase of about 1,000,000 pounds over 1930, but still representing considerably less than one pound per person for the year.

### Old Car Is Interesting

Bought at Auction in Toronto for Exhibition Purposes  
 An automobile sold for \$75 at an auction in Toronto. The car was a 1908 model. About 20 years ago a Mrs. J. H. H. sold her home leaving the vehicle in the garage. A small tree grew in front of the garage doors. Then the tree was cut down and the ancient car moved out. A representative of the company which made it bought the car and will use it for exhibition purposes.

### Oldest Gaffer

Friends of John White, of St. John's, Nfld., claim that he is the oldest gaffer in the British Empire. He started to swing the clubs 75 years ago at Fife, Scotland, and is still playing the game at 90. He continues to use a milder he bought 70 years ago.

Germany is said to be developing a new mysterious death "tone" machine. This machine, it is said, may be able to detect battleships and aeroplanes through inaudible sound waves which will send out.

He—"Look, our captain is going to kick the goal!"  
 She—"What did the goal do?"

"I can make 15 notes that can't be detected."  
 "Then what are you waiting for?"  
 "A sample to copy!"—Nebelspater, Zurich.

A ruby worth \$10,000 and of the best color has been found at Mogok, in the Shan States.

"I had no idea she'd accept me the first time I proposed."  
 "Did you think she would the second time?"  
 "There would have been no second time."

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## SCENES AT THE OPENING OF THE GREAT EMPIRE FAIRLEY



Many colorful scenes were witnessed when the Governor-General travelled in state to the House of Commons to open the Imperial Economic Conference. In the picture on the left Lord Beesborough is shown at attention as he was about to enter the Parliament Buildings, while the photograph on the right shows a small section of the vast crowd of spectators gathered in front of the Victory Tower to watch the celebrities enter the House of Commons and to hear the speeches of the chief delegates broadcast by the numerous amplifiers outside the main building on Parliament Hill.

### Handy Truck Telephone

Helped Sweden's "Match King" To Blame Travelling Calls  
 The late Ivar Kreuger, Sweden's "match king," who killed himself in Paris on the eve of the disclosure of the complete collapse of his widespread financial undertakings, was an ingenious person. For a long time he posed as the simple, silent man, shunning publicity, enveloping himself in an atmosphere of mystery. Actually he was active, alert and highly inventive.

An interesting detail to Kreuger's mechanism of fraud has just been discovered in Stockholm, where some English auditors are investigating the tangled affairs of the Kreuger companies. They were at work in the apartment that had been widely known as Kreuger's "silent room," his sanctum where he received his occasional visitors, when a telephone bell rang. One of the auditors took up the receiver, but got no sound. He rang a second time and a third time without a vocal response over the wire. Then it was accidentally discovered that there was a button almost flush with the surface of the desk and that if a book or other object were pushed over it the telephone bell began to ring. It was evidently Kreuger's practice when he wished to get rid of an undesirable caller to give himself a telephone ring by a casual movement and hold an imaginary conversation which required his immediate presence elsewhere thus effectively curtailing the immediate conference.

### Some Amazing Wills

Several May Be Seen At Osgoode Hall, Toronto  
 Ontario has some amazing wills in its records, one of which, written by a rhyming clerkman, may be seen at the Surrogate Court in Osgoode Hall, Toronto. That of the well-known character, Dr. Dunlop, of Goderich, Ont., is famous and often quoted. He was a man of rough-and-tumble humor. Part of the estate was left to a sister "because she is married to a partner . . . whom she respects," and a share to another sister "because she is married to nobody, nor is she likely to be, for she is an old maid." Also: "I leave my lady brother's watch to my very late brother, exhorting him at the same time to give up Whiggery, radicalism and all other sins that do most easily beset him." A friend is left "a silver teapot, to the end that he may drink tea therefrom, to comfort him under the affliction of a slatternly wife." To a third sister "because she is an old maid and pious, I give my silver cup, with a cover, to her, to use, also my grandma's snuff box, as it looks decent to see an old woman taking snuff."

Becoming Nimble Quantity  
 Since 1921, says the Stratford Beacon-Herald, the amount which Germany would pay has ranged from \$100,000,000 down to \$10,000,000,000. The last amount is just a little better than three per cent. of the first estimate. If the thing keeps on the experts may yet be meeting to decide how much the rest of the world should pay to Germany.

"I had no idea she'd accept me the first time I proposed."  
 "Did you think she would the second time?"  
 "There would have been no second time."

A ruby worth \$10,000 and of the best color has been found at Mogok, in the Shan States.

"I can make 15 notes that can't be detected."  
 "Then what are you waiting for?"  
 "A sample to copy!"—Nebelspater, Zurich.

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### Auto Plant Is Marvel

Europe's Largest Motor Car Factory Built On Swamp

Following the recent announcement of reciprocal arrangements between Canadian and British companies for marketing new Ford cars in the British Empire and Europe, two steamboat loads of British newspaper editors, including members of the Empire Press Union and representatives of Canadian newspapers, visited Dagenham and inspected Europe's largest motor factory, built by the Ford organization, on what three years ago was literally a lonely swamp on London's doorstep.

The plant is one of the most self-contained in existence, having its own powerhouse, blast furnace, coke ovens, by-product factories, making even such commodities as benzene for motor fuel. It will ultimately employ 15,000 men and turn out cars at two a minute or two hundred thousand yearly.

### Hints From Sea Calls

Report Of French Professor Of Interest To Aviators

Aviators will be interested in a report which was recently presented to the Academy of Science in Paris by M. Magnan, professor at the College de France, and M. Legue, director of lectures at the Conservatoire National des Arts et Metiers, dealing with the means by which birds and insects can remain stationary in the air through the movements of their wings. According to this report, a sea gull moves its wings five times per second, and each time it moves them upward it falls a distance of two inches on account of gravity, whereas a vulture, which moves its wings 180 times per second, falls only practically no distance at all. The conclusion drawn by this report is, that if a man weighing about 200 pounds wishes to remain stationary in the air, it will be necessary for him to wear an apparatus with wings which can be moved from thirteen to twenty times per second. A motive power less than one-eighth horsepower would be sufficient to make this possible with wings having a surface of about a square yard. Why doesn't somebody try it?—Christian Science Monitor.

### British Trains Speeded Up

Will Have Fastest Service Ever Given Travelling Public

Following the record-breaking runs of their crack trains, the Cheltenham Flyer and the Flying Scotsman, the Great Western Railway and the London and North Eastern Railway respectively have projected "the fastest train service ever offered to the travelling public" to come into operation on July 15.

On the same day a new European rail speed record will be established by the London, Midland and Scottish Railway, when as part of a sweeping programme of train accelerations the Maudslayi express will be retimed to cover the 177 miles from Wilmston, near Manchester, to London (Euston) in 172 minutes, at an average speed 61.7 miles per hour.

This is asserted to be the longest non-stop railway journey in Europe to be scheduled at more than 60 miles per hour.

This new record run forms part of a comprehensive speed-up whereby 2,026 L.M.S. trains will be accelerated by a total amount of 6,424 minutes daily.—St. Thomas Times-Journal.

### Work For the Workless

United States To Give Employment On Highway Construction

A quarter of a million men working 30 hours a week for 11 months—that will be the result, a nation-wide survey indicated, of the United States \$120,000,000 federal appropriation to aid states in highway construction. In practically every state, the construction programme, designed to make the jobless self-sustaining, was hailed as a vigorous step in the right direction. Relief workers generally were enthusiastic over the provision for a 30-hour week, thus providing jobs for more workers over a longer period.

### Wood Industry Hard Hit

No branch of agriculture has been harder hit in recent years—not alone in the depression period—but in the wool-growing industry. Departmental statistics show the value of the 1931 clip as eight cents a pound, compared with 11 cents in 1930; 22 cents in 1929; and 62 cents in 1918.

### India Is Developing a Motion Picture Industry and Turning Out Home-made Films

Although wood will float on water, sawdust will sink to the bottom.

### Health and Wealth

Statistics Show People Not Suffering Physically From Hard Times

In spite of widespread unemployment and wage reductions, 1932 has been so far "the best of all health years" for a large section of the industrial population of the United States and Canada. Health conditions from the first of the year to the end of May have been better than even before for the same period of the year, statistics collected by a life insurance company show.

During this period the death rate among the company's industrial policyholders reached the unprecedented low figure of 9.2 per 1,000. The death rate for May alone was 8.5 per 1,000, the lowest, with the exception of May, 1931, ever recorded for this month. The low rates are due chiefly to large drops in the death rates for three important diseases, tuberculosis, pneumonia and influenza. A new low point in the tuberculosis death rate this year is expected on the basis of the low figure set during the January-May period, which is the part of the year when mortality from this disease is always highest. Accidents, even automobile accidents, caused fewer deaths than in 1932 than in the same period of 1931, and there were fewer deaths than ever before connected with childbirth.

### No Great Difference

Bottom Of Ocean Is Just Like Ground Ashore

Tom Eddie, noted diver, answering the question of what it is like at the bottom of the ocean, says: "On a bright day, and on a sandy or gravelly bottom, you can see all around you at a depth of 120 feet. You can't see so far on a cloudy day, and on a mud bottom on a cloudy day you can't see anything at all and have to go by feeling. And the bottom of the ocean is just like the ground ashore. There are little rills, and little hollows. Perhaps there will be a rock sticking up here and there."

### Kept Her Promise

The Scotch doctor lay dying. After fifty years of helping others into and out of this world, he himself was to be called to face the noblest experiment of them all. With almost his last breath he said to his wife, the faithful companion of his joys and sorrows: "When I'm to be buried I want a namelap on my coffin."

"You shall have it," assured the widow-to-be; and contentedly the ancient physician turned his face to the wall.

And on the morning of his funeral the pious-by-notice that the polished brass plate which had graced the doctor's chest was still shining, and the graveside-students read through their tears, as they lowered the casket into the earth, "Angus Abernethy, M.D., Office hours 9 to 11 a.m."

### North Magnetic Pole In Canada

The north magnetic pole is located in Boothia Peninsula on the Arctic Coast of Canada, and the south magnetic pole in South Victoria Land south from New Zealand.

Canadian honey was exported to the United Kingdom, Netherlands, Germany, France, United States and several other countries during 1931.

A tadpole that is turning into a frog consumes its tail as sustenance.

## For Atlantic Air Service

### Several Surveys Being Made To Ensure Success Of Undertaking

In the surrounding slackness in industry it is heartening to note that in one direction, at least, thought is being taken for its expanding future. That is in the work of advancing plans for a regular trans-Atlantic Air Service between this continent and Europe. Expeditions have started out for the east and the west coasts of Greenland with a view to obtaining weather data for complete year. Accurate information of this nature is very essential to the success of establishing a permanent air service across the Atlantic. One expedition is headed by the noted explorer, H. G. Watkins. He is establishing two bases in Greenland, just south of the Arctic Circle. The other expedition is to be carried out by the University of Michigan under Dr. R. L. Belknap.

The latter party will conduct research work on the expanding icecap itself as well as on the west coast. The work has been put under way by Pan American Airways. It is interesting to note that little or no flying surveys will be made during the first twelve months. The expeditions will confine themselves at first to studies of air currents, storms, and general atmospheric conditions. A trans-Atlantic Air Service, when it does arrive, will have to be established on a very firm foundation of known facts in respect of conditions to be met. There is every indication that those who are planning this establishment are taking every precaution with each step they make.—Winnipeg Free Press.

### New Torpedo Rocket

Successful Tests Made in Germany Of Invention Of Hanseatic Engineer

A successful secret test of a new torpedo-like rocket was conducted at Dummer Lake, Germany, recently. The rocket, invented by the Hanseatic engineer, Reinhold Tilling, is about eight feet long and equipped with wings about 10 feet wide. The rocket shot into the air and wings unfolded at an altitude over 6,000 feet, permitting the rocket to glide to earth.

The speed of the rocket and the distance covered in the experiment were not disclosed, but Tilling was said to be ready for a public demonstration soon.

### Turned The Tables

Great Tourist Specialist Got Even With Celebrated Painter

Whistler once called in Sir Morell Mackenzie, the great tourist specialist of the Victorian era, and when Mackenzie arrived at the painter's house he found that he was expected to treat a sick French painter. Naturally he was none too pleased, but he saw to the dog, took his fee, and went away. A little while later Mackenzie sent for Whistler urgently, and when the latter arrived he greeted him with, "Oh, I'm glad you've come; I just wanted to ask you about having my front door painted."

### Nationality Of Women

Petition Sent To Ottawa Asking For Removal of Disabilities

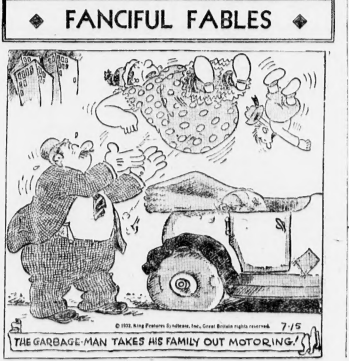
Legal anomalies in the nationality of women are the subject of a petition which has been forwarded to Ottawa for consideration. The petition was circulated by Mrs. P. P. Casgrain, wife of the Chief Liberal Whip, and Lady Drummond. The petition asks the removal of all disabilities that married women are now under in the matter of nationality and urges the adoption of uniform legislation throughout the Empire.

According to Dr. W. J. Humphreys, of the U.S. weather bureau, there are about 4,000,000 cubic miles of ice on Greenland, the Antarctic continent, and Iceland.

The trouble with the man who knows nothing is that he is always the last to find it out.

"If you want to get thin, you must eat only fruit, toast, lean meat, and drink orange juice."

"Before or after meals?"—Buen Humor, Madrid.



THE GARBAGE MAN TAKES HIS FAMILY OUT MOTORING.

## WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

The gas pressure in Turner Valley field is dropping quickly, tests show.

Rumors are current that negotiations for the release of Mahatma Gandhi are under way.

Foreign grown potatoes imported into Britain will be subjected to a duty of 11 sh. 6d.

Sir Richard Threlfall, chemist and engineer, who rendered valuable service to the Allies during the World War, died at Edgborough, England.

The Prince of Wales said that he believed this year would witness the first move toward the world's return to better times.

At an Essex Girl Club rally at Thorndon Park, Brentwood, the princess royal presented a bronze medal to Eva Mitchell, aged 11, who rescued her baby sister from drowning.

When Mrs. M. Stansall, aged 102, recently made her first flight at Mansfield, England, she insisted that her pilot, Sir Alan Cobham, the famous aviator, loop the loop.

The Chinese Government has placed a £40,000 order with Marconi's Wireless Telegraph Company for apparatus for a new beam wireless station, near Shanghai, capable of broadcasting also.

Quoting an 1853 statute which excluded the legal profession from arrest while going to and from court, B. L. August, Chicago attorney, was dismissed in court when charged with speeding 51 miles an hour.

Young Britons would have to wrinkle brows any more learning the names of all the English kings, a thoughtful manufacturer has provided them with a pocket knife with the names engraved on the handle.

The telephone service between Great Britain and Egypt was inaugurated by a conversation between Mr. Baldwin, speaking in the Prime Minister's room in the House of Commons, and Sidky Pasha, Premier of Egypt.

## Some Memory Exports

Both Women and Men Have Done Remarkable Work

There was once a mathematical wizard, a young chap who was rather stupid in other respects, but could stand beside a railroad track while a long freight train was passing by, jot down in his brain the numbers of every box car, and after the train had passed recite the long list of five and six cipher numbers without error. Memory experts have done some remarkable work in memorizing whole books, long legal instruments, and other literature. In the case of military spies it is often necessary for them to memorize secret orders so that they cannot be caught with written evidence on their persons. A Miss Henry Newman has memorized the Old Testament and can recite it from beginning to end. She now is learning Shakespeare's plays by heart.

## Seeks New Adventure

Capt. John T. Randall, Skipper of the "Two Alone," Goes North

A new phase of an adventurous career commenced recently when Captain John T. Randall, skipper of the run-runner "Two Alone," sunk by the United States coastguard in 1928, left Edmonton for the Great Bear Lake region. Captain Randall will be in charge of a boat used by a party investigating claims in the radium field.

## A New Apparatus

An electric apparatus has been invented that blows hot and cold, in the cooler seasons a hot current is shot from it by the use of a fan and a heater, but during the heated term the current is permitted to pass over a container filled with cracked ice or even ice water.



Button's first day—Muskeet, Vien

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## Contract Bridge

By Hamilton B. Hatch, Cleveland Club, Toronto

### Defensive Tactics

In my previous article a general outline was given of the high card distribution strength necessary for the overcalling hand to hold when making a defensive overcall. It was shown that, when vulnerable, the overcaller must have a strong hand both in high cards, and in taking tricks in the suit bid, than when not vulnerable. Also that, when a bid of two is necessary to overcall, the hand overcalling must be considerably stronger especially when vulnerable. What I will try to show today is how far it is in good bridge to carry defensive bidding.

This must be answered by an analysis of the inevitable slide of the score sheet. An average contract rubber may be said to average one thousand points profit to the winners. This one thousand points, for the purpose of this analysis, is divided into four hundred points and six hundred points. The four hundred points represents the concealed or invisible value of the first game of the rubber. The six hundred points represents the concealed or invisible value of the final game of the rubber. If then, a rubber is worth four hundred points, it follows that defense which stops a rubber for a cost of one hundred and two hundred points, is good defense. Notwithstanding the hard fact, that the defense partnership has against them in the honor cards a definite four hundred points. Still if the incurring of this four hundred point penalty stopped game by the adversaries, the defense players are really better off. If, however, after the deal is completed and the four hundred point penalty has been incurred, it is found that opponents could not have made game, then the penalty incurred is a total loss, to the penalty incurring. It follows then, that defense bidding must be predicated on two basic factors—First. It is certain that the opponents can make their contract. If it is not certain, then as a rule, it is best, rather than overbid and take a penalty, to allow the opponents to play the hand with the hope of defeating them. If it is certain that the opponents can make their contract, then the defender must know how large a penalty he is going to incur, and that knowledge constitutes the second basic factor.

It is necessary for the overbidding slide to closely approximate through their knowledge of their combined holdings, together with a knowledge of the combined holdings of the adversaries, the number of tricks they will take when playing the defensive contract. It is assumed always in this discussion that the defender's contract has been doubled.

The following table shows the penalties which are allowable to defenders in various game contracts. To save first game the defenders may be set three tricks doubled. If the contract is set less than three tricks, the penalty is a profit. If set more than three tricks the defenders show a loss.

To save second game, when the defenders are not vulnerable, a set of four tricks doubled may be taken. If the set is less than four tricks, the defenders show a profit. If more than four tricks a loss.

To save rubber game a set of two tricks doubled may be taken. If less than two tricks the defenders show a profit. If more than two tricks a loss.

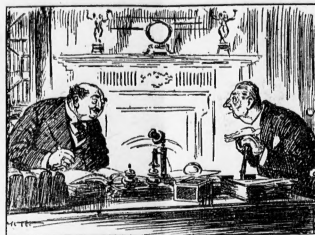
### Defense Against Partial Scores

Among one game in four on the average is made by a side having a partial score. It follows then that a partial score is worth one quarter of the game score premium, plus the invisible value to any partial score of between one hundred and fifty and two hundred points.

It is a very important factor in safety in defense overbidding to take partial scores in very small and it takes very close figuring by the defenders to successfully defend against partial score contracts. As a rule the most expert bridge player is in difficulties, when trying to figure what he is going to be set two or three tricks. It is to save partial score he is set three tricks doubled. He has broken even, and if he is set one trick doubled he has made a profit.

To sum up then, defensive overbidding is a very important factor in Contract, but its use must be predicated on precise card valuation methods, and also an ability by the player to estimate closely the losing tricks in the combined hands. If the contract is played in the overbid.

Science has figured that the earth travels 64,000,000 miles on its annual trip around the sun, and that more than 1,601,000 miles are travelled by the globe every day.



MONEY-LENDER: "Well, my friend, you have a very rich fiancée have you not?"

CLIENT: "No, You see, I broke off the engagement when a handwriting expert gave me an unfavorable report of her character."

MONEY-LENDER: "Oh, indeed?"

CLIENT: "Yes, and the handwriting expert married her!"—The Humorist, London, England.

## Winnipeg Newspaper Union



## Recipes For This Week

(By Betty Barclay)

### RHUBARB JUICE

Rhubarb juice is particularly valuable for fruit beverages, and for combining with other fruit juices to lend tartness to jellies. It is also good for colds, coughs and hoarseness. It may be prepared from the stalks that have become too tough to cook in other ways.

Cut the rhubarb in small pieces, add just enough water to cover and simmer until very soft. Strain the juice through a jelly bag. To each quart of juice add two cups sugar. Heat until the sugar is dissolved. Skim. Bring to the boiling point. Seal in clean, hot jars or bottles.

### CREOLE CUSTARD

3 cups hot milk.  
1/2 cup sugar.  
2 eggs.  
1/2 cup cold coffee.  
Pinch of salt.

Scald milk in double boiler. Beat egg and add sugar and salt. Pour hot milk in egg mixture, stirring well. Put the mixture into double boiler and cook, stirring until it thickens like cream. Strain the custard into a dish to cool, then add coffee and salt.

## Memorial For Adventurers

Danes and Norwegians Plan To Erect Cairn At Churchill

Danes and Norwegians of the Lutheran Faith, are planning to erect a memorial cairn at Churchill to the memory of Captain Jens Munk and his party of 66 adventurers who founded "Winterhaven," on the shores of Hudson Bay, in 1610. Anonymous work was done to this effect at Winnipeg recently by Rev. B. M. Christensen of Pine Creek, Minn.

Munk went west out of Copenhagen the Fourth of Denmark and Norway in 1610. With the party was Chaplain Rasmus Jensen Aarhus, first Lutheran pastor to set foot in America. Along with 60 of the party, the pastor died of disease during the terrible winter of 1620, leaving Captain Munk and two men the survivors of the ill-fated expedition.

## Hurried Preparation

Chairman Thought Quickly When Introducing Finnish English Novelist

Sir Hall Caine was the guest of honor one day at a literary dinner, and it fell to Thomas Nelson, the American novelist, to introduce him.

Just before rising to do so, Page passed his menu card to Caine with a request that he autograph it.

"After you have spoken," whispered Sir Hall.

"No, no—do it now," said Page. Caine obeyed, and later he asked his introducer why he had been in so great a hurry to obtain his signature.

"Well," said Page, "if you must have your signature, I had better be able to say truthfully that I had read something you had written."

### Abbreviated Ancestor

For easy acceptance of things a trifle unusual it is hard to beat the small boy looking at the bust of his grandfather—the bust mounted on a little circular stand, having asked his mother if his grandpa was very wise and good, he added:

"And was that all there was of grandpapa?"

Defendant (in loud voice):—"Judge, I demand justice."

Judge (rapping for order):—"The defendant will please remember he is in a courtroom."

## Sport and Adventure In Northeastern Manitoba

Following the Historic Canoe Routes Of the Pioneer Traders

A section of Canada which has recently attracted attention is in northeastern Manitoba where gold was discovered last fall in the vicinity of Island Lake. For years this territory was little prospected although rich finds were made in the Red Lake section of Ontario to the east, and in the Herb and Flin Flin sections to the west. The usual means of entry to this section in summer is by way of Norway House at the head of Lake Winnipeg, which is reached by comfortable steamer from Selkirk on the Red River, twenty-three miles north of Winnipeg. Here at Norway House will be found a combination of the medieval and modern, and the traveler may rest in the shade of the old trading post conducted by the Hudson's Bay Company while contemplating the activity around the Indian boarding school, the wireless station and the air bases located at this point.

Norway House, where there is a good summer hotel with accommodations for seventy-five guests, is the distributing point for four outposts, namely: Island Lake, God's Lake, Oxford House, and Cross Lake, at each of which there is found a number of trading posts, traders, trappers and Indians. It is in the territory served by these outposts that the angler will find the best fishing.

The tourist sportsman will find this a delightful country as the network of waterways, well fringed with timber, provide an easy means of travel. Good canoeists and boats may be engaged at Norway House and picturesque canoe routes lead north to God's Lake and northeastward to the Nelson River, God's Lake and Island Lake, the latter a two hundred mile stretch. The mass of waterways which some of the oldest and most historic canoe routes of the pioneer traders and trappers joining between Norway House and York Factory on Hudson Bay.

Good fishing may be had in practically all of the lakes and streams in the district. The angler in search of trout is assured of exceptionally fine sport as hundreds of lakes contain lake trout of a very large size, specimens up to fifty pounds in weight being common. Some of the better known waters for this species include Cross, Moberly, Oxford, Island and God's Lake, although scores of the lesser known waters will, not doubt, furnish equally good sport.

These waters are usually so thickly stocked that it is to be found in Manitoba waters, and it will be a pleasant surprise to find these gummy fish in such abundance and of an exceptionally large size in these northern waters. The wealth of the smaller streams is unknown, but in many of the creeks comprising the well known canoe routes specimens ranging from four to five pounds have been taken.

## Where Silence Rules

No Word Is Ever Spoken In German Monastery

In the broad churches of the monastery of Marawald, in the Eifel, Germany, all noisy sounds are excluded by the walls, and the singing of the monks is the only sound of the monks. The monks who prune the trees and pluck the fruit are silent. Their is the strictest Catholic order of penitents in the world. From about to lay brother these monks work for a living, all in complete silence. Their food is simple, and their monastic garb may be changed only every eight days. All of the inmates of the monastery sleep together on plain boards in one room.

## Michigan Shop Sells Bait

Lake fishermen at Pontiac, Michigan, may obtain bait from "Ye Old Shagpie," a store specializing in the sale of Oakland county's most popular fishing stores. "Clerks" at the "Shoppes" sell worms at six dozen for \$25.

## Works In a Circle

Two flocks of sheep having been placed on the Berlin Central railway drome at Berlin, Germany, to keep down the grass, sheep dogs and sheep have been employed to keep the sheep out of the path of planes.

Gus: "I'll have you understand that the good blood in my family comes from the Berlin Central railway. Gulliver: Yes, and how much did they pay for the transfusions?"

Home economics specialists point out that washing fine china with too hot water increased the possibility of its chipping.

It would require 10 centuries to spend one billion dollars at the rate of one dollar a minute.

## Canada Exporting Less Wool

Manufacturers Are Using More Of Home Grown Product

"Three times as much Canadian-produced wool was bought last year by the Canadian industry as was exported," said Major Douglas Hallam, secretary of the Canadian Woolen and Knit Goods Manufacturers Association, speaking in Toronto. The use of Canadian wool is steadily increasing, due to improved merchandising methods adopted by sellers, the 30% increase in yards of woollen cloth woven in Canada, and the duty placed on Argentine wool.

"In a report issued through the National Research Foundation the methods by which Canadian wool gets to market are outlined. Abattoirs buy live lambs and sheep, the wool is marketed as pulled wool, and over 80% of such wool is bought by Canadian manufacturers. The remainder and knitting mills bought wool direct from farmers. One hundred and eight men listed as wool dealers of co-operative producers handled Canadian wool for re-sale. Approximately five million lbs. of the clip was used in home industries.

## This Burglar Alarm Works

Sounds Siren, Explodes a Bomb and Rings Alarm Bell

The small-and-grab jewelry thief, who has infested England for the past few months, has met his equal in a new burglar alarm.

Neither the vigilance of the police, nor the precautions of jewelers have succeeded in diminishing the number of these brazen robberies. But it will take the best criminal brains in the world to carry on in the face of a new precautionary invention.

A demonstration of the invention was given before jewelers at Southend-on-Sea. A jeweller turned himself into a robber for the purpose of the demonstration.

A hole large enough for a man to pass was made in a jewelry shop by making it in with a blackjack. Then a number of melodramatic things happened.

First a deafening siren went off which could be heard for three-quarters of a mile around. A gas bomb exploded, followed by a smoke bomb which lit up a screen about the jewels and blinded the thief.

As though this were not enough a secret panel snapped across the window, imprisoning the raider and protecting the jewels.

## Brain Controls Fast Or Slow Reading

Average Speed Is Around Six Words Per Second

Six words per second, or about four and one-half hours for a standard size book, good average reading speed, and most people can aspire to reach this seemingly extraordinary figure. It is the brain, not the eye, which determines the speed of reading. The eye cannot move steadily, but must move in a series of jerks. After each movement the eye is nearly steady, but still more to give time for the message to be grasped.

## Visits Largest Active Cavern

Glacier Priest Returns From Thrilling Adventures In North

After active career in the world with a circumference of 21 miles and a drop of 3,000 feet from rim to floor, by air and foot, Rev. Father Bernard H. Hubbard, Glacier priest of Santa Clara University, has returned from the north and is resting at Victoria after six months of arduous exploration, packed with thrills and incidents. With him he has brought an official record of the highest crater bed temperatures known to man.

Four women and two men, who started from Melbourne, Australia, by motor car six months ago, have arrived at Dover, England, after having motored 32,000 miles of their tour overseas.

"I can't engage you. I haven't enough work for the men I have."

"That does not matter. Very little work would keep me going."

—Yart Hum, Stockholm

# BABY'S OWN SOAP

## THE HOUSE OF DREAMS-COME-TRUE

MARGARET FIEDLER

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### CHAPTER XXVII.—Continued.

But she had courage enough to face the consequences of that refusal, to stand up to the clatter of porcelain tongues that were raised and true enough to back on the loyalty of her real friends, knowing it would be the name splendid loyalty that she herself would have given to any one of them in like circumstances. For Jean was a woman who won more than mere lip-service from those who called themselves her friends.

Burke had never been more mistaken in his calculations than when he counted upon forcing her hand by the mere fear of scandal. But none the less he held her—and held her in the meshes of a far stronger and more binding net, had he but realized it.

Looking back upon the episode from which her present predicament had actually sprung, Jean could almost have found it in her heart to smile at the relative importance, at the times, that name incident had assumed in her eyes.

It had seemed to her, then, that for Blaise ever to hear that she had been locked in a room with Burke, had meant an uncanceled hour or so with him at the "honey-moons" inn" would be the uttermost calamity that could befall her.

He would never believe that it had been by no will of hers—so she had thought at the time—and that fierce love's jealousy which had been the origin of their quarrel and of all the subsequent mutual misunderstandings and aloofness, would be roused to fight life, and his distrust of her to become something infinitely more difficult to combat.

But compared with the present situation which confronted her, the happenings of that past day faded into insignificance. She stood, now, face to face with a choice such as surely few women had been forced to make.

Whichever way she decided, whichever of the two alternatives she accepted, her happiness must pay the price. Nothing else could ever be or do, afterwards would set her right in the eyes of the man whose belief in her she was unwilling to waver. She would marry Burke, returning home in the odour of sanctity within the next hour or two, or whether she refused and returned to the next morning with the incontrovertible fact of a night spent at Burke's bungalow, alone with him, behind her, Blaise would never trust or believe in her love for him again.

And if she promised to marry Burke and so save her reputation, she must automatically mean the end of everything between herself and the man she loved—the dropping of an iron curtain compared with which the built up out of their frequent misunderstandings in the past seemed something as trifling and as easily dropped as a coat of arms.

On the other hand, if she risked her good name and kept her freedom, she would be equally sure to lose the man she loved. She feared that Blaise would take the blackest view of the affair—the worst that he believed in her was not to misjudge her as she would misjudge—but he would inevitably think that she had deliberately chosen to spend an afternoon on the Moon alone with Burke—"playing with fire" exactly as he had warned her not to, and getting her fingers

burnt in consequence—and he would accept it as a sheer denial of the silent pledge of love understood which bound them together.

He would never trust her again—nor forgive her. No man could. Love's loyalty, rocked by the swift currents of jealousy and passion, is not of the same quality as the steady loyalty of friendship—that calm, unshakable confidence which may exist between man and man or woman and woman.

Moreover—and here alone was where the fear of gossip troubled her—even if the inconceivable happened and Blaise forgave and trusted her again, she could not go to him with a slur name, give him herself—when the girl was outwardly tarnished. The Tormaria pride was underlying as a rock—and Tormaria women had always been above suspicion. She could not break the tradition of an old name—do that disservice to the man she loved! No, if she could find no way out of the web in which she had been caught she was set as far apart from him as though they had never met. Only the agony of meeting and remembrance would be with her for the rest of life!

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He smiled a little and shook his head.

"Yes," he said quietly. "I'm not afraid of that. If you give me your word, I know you'll keep it. You wouldn't be so—you if you could do otherwise."

For a moment Jean was tempted, fiercely tempted to take his blind belief in her and use it to extricate herself from the position into which he had thrust her. As she herself had said, the circumstances were such as almost to justify her. Yet something within her, something that was an integral part of her whole nature, rebelled against the idea of giving a promise which, from the moment that she made it, she would have no smallest intention of keeping. It would be like the breaking of a prisoner's given parole—equally mean and dishonourable.

With a little mental shrug she dismissed the idea and the brief temptation. She knew as though they had never met. Only the agony of meeting and remembrance would be with her for the rest of life!

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### Accommodation Limited

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Should the entire population of Paris decide to attend a show or movie some evening, nearly 3,000,000 spectators could not find accommodation.

Recent statistics show that in spite of the reputation Paris has for being the greatest theatre city in the world, all the theatres, music halls, concert halls, circuses, cabarets, movie houses, cafes-concerts, total only 260,000 seats.

### Long Wait In Store

Car Owner Throat "Self-Starters"

Mr. Smith had inherited a large sum of money. The first thing he bought with new wealth was a motor car.

After a few driving lessons on his garage proprietor's car he thought he would try his hand at driving his own new car.

All was well for a time. Presently, while trying to change down into second gear, he stalled his engine and the car came to a standstill.

Mr. Smith, however, just leaned back in his seat and made no attempt to restart it.

A policeman who had seen the car come to a standstill approached Smith.

"Can I assist you at all, sir?" he asked.

Smith shook his head.

"No, thank you, officer," he replied. "It is quite all right. You see, this is one of those self-starting cars. I'm just waiting for it to start."

### Results Are Miraculous

When Scientific Brains Are Applied To The Business of Growing Timber, The Result Appears Miraculous.

Dr. J. H. White of the faculty of forestry, Toronto, reports that sections of Switzerland in perpetuity are producing such mighty annual crops of timber as to be able to sustain Ontario's pulp and paper industry in perpetuity on the growth of just 100 townships. At present Ontario owns the equivalent of 5,000 townships of timber, and the possibilities of production under an intensive program are almost incalculable all over Canada.—Bradford Sun.

### Rural and Urban Residents

Of the population of Canada 46.3 per cent. are rural dwellers and 53.7 per cent. reside in urban centres. In 1921 the proportions were 50.5 per cent. rural and 49.5 per cent. urban. The largest proportion of rural population is found in Prince Edward Island, where the country residents represent 76.8 per cent.

The total length of public road in Great Britain is 17,296 miles. For every square mile of country there are, on an average, two miles of highway.

Louis Pasteur died while investigating the diseases of the silkworm.

If all the ice in Greenland and Antarctica were melted, enough water would be added to the oceans to raise the level 150 feet.

Deafness Increasing In Great Britain At Alarming Rate

The noise of modern traffic, riveting and pneumatic drilling machines is straining British ears more than God ever intended them to be and is increasing deafness at an alarming rate.

That spoke an official of the National Institute for the Deaf recently. It is estimated that there already are more than 3,000,000 cases of impaired hearing in this country.

### Little Helps For This Week

"Let us love one another, for love is the basis of all good; that loveth is born of God, and knoweth God."

1 John iv. 7.

Our God is Love, and that which we mislead

Evil in this good world that He has made,

Is meant to be a little, tender shade

Between us and His glory,—that is all; And he who loves the best his fellow-men.

—Alice Cary.

Love is God's love; and this is that feeding for which we are taught to pray.—Henry Ward Beecher.

### Lake Rates On Grain

Said To Be The Lowest Now Since 1915

Grain rates by water from the head of the lakes to Montreal, have been stabilized at 4½ cents per bushel through the establishment of the Association Lake Freighters, Limited, in which all the Canadian lake steamship companies are associated. Incorporation of the company was announced in the Canada Gazette at Ottawa.

The rate of 4½ cents is the lowest since 1915 when 4.99 cents per bushel was paid. A peak of 11.64 was reached in 1920, a gradual decrease thereafter taking place since then.

Shippers declare that the present rate is not sufficient to enable them to defray the cost of insurance and meet overhead expenses and several owners are understood not to be carrying full insurance coverage on their vessels.

### Market For Potatoes

Britain's Import Duty Against Foreign Potatoes May Benefit Canada

Placing of an import duty against foreign potatoes by Great Britain will prove "a fine thing for the Dominion," said S. K. Henry, member of a Toronto wholesale potato firm.

"For some years past there has been an embargo against our potatoes entering the British market. Eastern Canada and particularly the people of the maritimes, have tried in vain to have the restrictions lifted. In the meantime German, French and Dutch potatoes have been moving into the United Kingdom market. England, particularly, has been paying a large price for these potatoes."

The Eleven-Year Sunspot Cycle

Sunspots vary in number in an irregular "cycle." The last maximum occurred in 1923 followed by a maximum in 1928. In recent months sunspots have been so scarce that the next minimum will probably arrive a year or more earlier than 1934-7, when the "long" duration of the cycle a minimum might be expected.

The Egyptians were among the earliest to use gunpowder, using the bow as their main weapon in fighting.

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Thursday, Aug. 25th, 1932

Mrs. McNeill, mother of Dr. A. K. McNeill, is visiting here.  
Mrs. Arden, who has been visiting with friends here, returned to Jenner today.

Mel. Tarr was a visitor at Lender, Sask., for a couple of days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sibley returned from their vacation the latter part of last week.

Dr. and Mrs. A. L. Caldwell, of Gabri, Sask., were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Howles, the first of the week.

Wendell McKee made a trip to Medicine Hat, this week.

The two sisters of Miss M. Flock, who have been visiting here, left for their home on Lethbridge, by car, on Wednesday.

Mrs. C. R. Moore, and daughter, Jean, arrived home on Tuesday night from their holiday vacation.

Miss B. Hall, of Ponoka, Alta., daughter of Mr. Harry Hall, former station agent here, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Anderson.

The Ladies of the Congregation of the United Church, will meet at the home of Mrs. D. McKee, on Thursday, Sept. 1st, at 3 o'clock.

The house on the farm of Mrs. W. MacPherson, north of town, was badly wrecked in Friday's storm.

George Tyler is visiting his parents in Calgary, being called there by the critical condition of health of his father.

Mrs. J. Millar, and son, Jack, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. Crocker, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Lash, and daughter, Geraldine, returned from a vacation at Elkwater Lake, last week.

H. G. Moore, of Social Plains, won sixth prize at Toronto with an exhibit of Brome grass, and third prize in Calgary. He expects to thresh about seven thousand pounds of crested wheat grass this fall.

Mr. and Mrs. E. McGill, who had just returned from a holiday vacation on Thursday, accompanied D. Lash on Saturday, to Medicine Hat, to attend the funeral of Archie McCallum, a brother-in-law of Mr. McGill's. Mr. McCallum was

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## Health Service

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## Contacts

In discussing the communicable diseases the term "contacts" is frequently used, and it is desirable that there should be a general understanding of the meaning of the term.

The communicable diseases are caused by germs. Each disease has its own particular germ. Most of the communicable diseases are spread in a fairly direct manner, by transfer of such secretions as saliva, from the sick to the well. The spread of the disease requires that there be sufficiently intimate contact between the sick person and others to allow for the transference of germ-laden secretions. Those who have been close to the sick person, such as the members of the family, are known as "contacts."

Because contacts have been exposed to the disease, they are as a rule quarantined for that period of time which the disease takes to develop. This period is the "incubation period" of the disease, and varies for the different communicable diseases, therefore the period of quarantine contacts varies.

Professor Victor E. Shelford, Department of Zoology, University of Illinois, who visited the Churchill region in the early summer, plans to have his residence in the Champaign-Urbana, Illinois, insulated with lacquer-hads moss. Prof. Shelford, who is an authority on the lower forms of plant life, believes that the moss will serve the double purpose of keeping out the cold in winter and the heat in summer. He secured data on the moss while at Churchill, and when in Winnipeg discussed the commercial possibilities of the moss with F. V. Schert, supt. of the dept. of natural resources, Can. Nat. Railways.

## Castle Coombe

Public worship will be conducted at:

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Mrs. Weston and children, of Red Deer, are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Stewart.

Charlie Rowles and Ken Boswell went to Medicine Hat, Wednesday. They are rewriting subjects there in which they failed to pass in the recent Departmental examinations. F. Frost accompanied them.

## By-Law No. 56

R. M. MANTARIO No. 262

Under the authority of Section 239 of the Rural Municipality Act, the Council of the Rural Municipality of Manitowish No. 262 enacted as follows:

That a discount of 4% shall be allowed on all current taxes in the hands of the Secretary-Treasurer or the Tax Collector before the 1st day of November, 1932.

That notice of the discount to be allowed shall be stamped or imprinted upon the tax notices sent out for the current year.

Done and passed in Council assembled at Council on the 24th day of July, 1932, given three readings by unanimous consent of the Council, signed, sealed and numbered as follows:

VERG. C. BAILL, Deputy-Treas.  
O. EVANS SARGENT, Secy-Treas.

according to the disease. The contacts are quarantined because, if they are developing the disease, they may pass it on to others before the appearance of such typical symptoms as a rash. A notable example of this is measles. Before the rash appears the patient has what seems to be a cold in the head. During the time the nose is running and the patient is coughing and sneezing, he spreads the disease; indeed, the disease is spread most frequently at this time—before the rash appears.

Tuberculosis is a disease in which the contacts receive a great deal of attention. It is amongst the contacts—the children and adults who have been living with the case—that one looks for new and unsuspected cases. Tuberculosis is a chronic disease, and usually develops slowly; so it is that the contacts of tuberculosis should be under medical supervision for several years.

Obviously, one should avoid becoming a "contact"; this is another way of saying that one should avoid exposure to disease. The contact is practically free from danger if proper precautions are taken. It is carelessness, or ignorance, or con-

tact with unknown cases that is chiefly responsible for the spread of communicable diseases.

Questions concerning Health, addressed to the Canadian Medical Association, 184 College Street, Toronto will be answered personally by letter.

## Fruit in Saskatchewan

Miss Stella Ford of the Provincial Dairy Branch on her recent return from a holiday spent on the farm of her father on the Wideawake Plains about nine miles northwest of Indian Head, brought back with her some fine samples of apples, plums, crabs, and other fruits, that effectually dispel the idea that those fruits cannot be successfully grown on the Prairies. The apples which were of a variety known as "Black Colville" were of fine flavor, and excellent appearance, while the plums and crabs were as good as any that might have been picked from the trees of an Eastern orchard. The apples particularly, are large and well developed, and measured nine inches in circumference. The

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